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Professional and vocational licensing and registration information is presented for the New York State fiscal years 1977-78 through 1986-87. For each fiscal year, the total number of new licenses, certificates or registrations, and total number of licensees registered to practice in the state, and the current registration period are provided for the following occupations: acupuncture, animal health technology, architecture, audiology, certified public accountancy; certified shorthand reporting, certified social work, chiropractic, dental hygiene, dentistry, landscape architecture, land surveying, licensed practical nursing, massage, medicine, occupational therapy, occupational therapy assistant, ophthalmic dispensing, optometry, pharmacy, physical therapy, physical therapy assistant, podiatry, professional engineering, psychology, public accountancy, registered physician's assistant, registered professional nursing, registered specialist's assistant, speech pathology, and veterinary medicine. (KM)

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DEFINITIONS

1. STATE FISCAL YEAR:

The New York State Fiscal Year begins on April 1 and ends on the following March 31.

2. TOTAL NEW LICENSES, CERTIFICATES OR REGISTRATIONS:

These figures represent the number of new licenses, new certificates or new registrations (depending upon the profession) issued by the State Education Department during the State Fiscal Year cited.

3. TOTAL REGISTERED:

These figures reflect the cumulative number of licensees who have registered with the Department to practice in New York State. Although the registration counts vary during individual registration periods, the figures shown were generally taken near the end of the State Fiscal Year.

4. REGISTRATION PERIOD:

The current triennial registration period for each of the professions has been cited.

ACUPUNCTURE

<u>STATE FISCAL YEAR</u>	<u>TOTAL LICENSED</u>	<u>TOTAL REGISTERED*</u>
1977 - 78	13	34
1978 - 79	4	29
1979 - 80	4	39
1980 - 81	6	40
1981 - 82	5	45
1982 - 83	24	59
1983 - 84	10	75
1984 - 85	15	87
1985 - 86	6	93
1986 - 87	11	100

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 01/01/86 - 12/31/88

ANIMAL HEALTH TECHNOLOGY

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	0	0
1978 - 79	42	429
1979 - 80	112	451
1980 - 81	102	555
1981 - 82	114	558
1982 - 83	95	665
1983 - 84	363	919
1984 - 85	123	1087
1985 - 86	79	1251
1986 - 87	131	1100

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 01/01/87 - 12/31/89

ARCHITECTURE

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	341	7347
1978 - 79	352	7606
1979 - 80	386	7255
1980 - 81	365	7269
1981 - 82	155	7914
1982 - 83	930	8007
1983 - 84	510	8562
1984 - 85	695	8651
1985 - 86	561	9390
1986 - 87	765	10217

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 09/01/87 - 08/31/90

AUDIOLOGY

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	218	294
1978 - 79	86	387
1979 - 80	76	421
1980 - 81	74	494
1981 - 82	72	517
1982 - 83	89	610
1983 - 84	53	636
1984 - 85	53	661
1985 - 86	71	741
1986 - 87	65	757

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 04/01/87 - 03/31/90

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	1322	23834
1978 - 79	1322	22540
1979 - 80	1750	24429
1980 - 81	1825	24299
1981 - 82	2096	26867
1982 - 83	2175	27630
1983 - 84	2525	29656
1984 - 85	1897	28542
1985 - 86	2047	31265
1986 - 87	2832	34066

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 09/01/87 - 08/31/90

CERTIFIED SHORTHAND REPORTING

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	1	293
1978 - 79	35	313
1979 - 80	15	326
1980 - 81	35	353
1981 - 82	19	374
1982 - 83	28	376
1983 - 84	10	385
1984 - 85	21	381
1985 - 86	3	384
1986 - 87	18	393

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 07/01/87 - 06/30/90

CERTIFIED SOCIAL WORK

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	1443	12076
1978 - 79	1785	15110
1979 - 80	1802	15152
1980 - 81	1781	17451
1981 - 82	1788	17420
1982 - 83	1958	20107
1983 - 84	1462	20630
1984 - 85	1462	21550
1985 - 86	1538	23366
1986 - 87	2016	24359

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 03/01/87 - 02/28/90

CHIROPRACTIC

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	119	1467
1978 - 79	221	1764
1979 - 80	171	1793
1980 - 81	300	2013
1981 - 82	357	2215
1982 - 83	321	2547
1983 - 84	421	2749
1984 - 85	336	2983
1985 - 86	308	3311
1986 - 87	523	3476

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 01/01/87 - 12/31/89

DENTAL HYGIENE

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	498	6890
1978 - 79	507	6998
1979 - 80	468	6414
1980 - 81	457	7307
1981 - 82	474	6803
1982 - 83	406	7867
1983 - 84	392	8062
1984 - 85	378	8159
1985 - 86	341	8614
1986 - 87	350	8514

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 05/01/87 - 04/30/90

DENTISTRY

<u>STATE FISCAL YEAR</u>	<u>TOTAL LICENSED</u>	<u>TOTAL REGISTERED*</u>
1977 - 78	717	14453
1978 - 79	693	14630
1979 - 80	776	13483
1980 - 81	790	15125
1981 - 82	788	13535
1982 - 83	892	15766
1983 - 84	912	16149
1984 - 85	878	16417
1985 - 86	789	17571
1986 - 87	745	16932

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 05/01/87 - 04/30/90

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

<u>STATE FISCAL YEAR</u>	<u>TOTAL LICENSED</u>	<u>TOTAL REGISTERED*</u>
1977 - 78	33	501
1978 - 79	23	454
1979 - 80	25	465
1980 - 81	26	458
1981 - 82	51	523
1982 - 83	41	530
1983 - 84	51	570
1984 - 85	45	563
1985 - 86	36	612
1986 - 87	56	668

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 09/01/87 - 08/31/90

LAND SURVEYING

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	42	1760
1978 - 79	33	1588
1979 - 80	47	1645
1980 - 81	41	1551
1981 - 82	38	1621
1982 - 83	81	1658
1983 - 84	59	1556
1984 - 85	74	1641
1985 - 86	13	1571
1986 - 87	60	1599

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 11/01/85 - 10/31/88

LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSING

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	6741	71075
1978 - 79	5888	64876
1979 - 80	5894	69917
1980 - 81	6752	67753
1981 - 82	7140	75816
1982 - 83	6985	79672
1983 - 84	7841	78002
1984 - 85	7834	70561
1985 - 86	7431	78772
1986 - 87	6577	83658

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 09/01/87 - 08/31/90

MASSAGE

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	5	1231
1978 - 79	197	1272
1979 - 80	138	1427
1980 - 81	121	1382
1981 - 82	151	1558
1982 - 83	203	1593
1983 - 84	272	1810
1984 - 85	246	2073
1985 - 86	263	2251
1986 - 87	134	2354

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 11/01/85 - 10/31/88

MEDICINE

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	3683	56441
1978 - 79	3696	52250
1979 - 80	3729	56566
1980 - 81	4156	54002
1981 - 82	3733	59645
1982 - 83	4312	55056
1983 - 84	4062	61075
1984 - 85	3985	66753
1985 - 86	3971	66708
1986 - 87	3991	64436

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 01/01/86 - 12/31/88

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	326	1360
1978 - 79	261	1580
1979 - 80	269	1605
1980 - 81	304	1966
1981 - 82	289	2235
1982 - 83	260	2282
1983 - 84	241	2474
1984 - 85	240	2717
1985 - 86	274	3142
1986 - 87	284	3043

*CURRENT PERIOD: 04/01/87 - 03/31/90

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY ASSISTANT

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL CERTIFIED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	211	329
1978 - 79	154	482
1979 - 80	176	624
1980 - 81	217	809
1981 - 82	149	925
1982 - 83	152	1010
1983 - 84	152	1109
1984 - 85	197	1256
1985 - 86	174	1350
1986 - 87	190	1478

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 11/01/85 - 10/31/88

OPHTHALMIC DISPENSING

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	95	2187
1978 - 79	122	2204
1979 - 80	240	2505
1980 - 81	206	2524
1981 - 82	155	2697
1982 - 83	163	2681
1983 - 84	83	2728
1984 - 85	137	3228
1985 - 86	115	3390
1986 - 87	130	2903

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 07/01/87 - 06/30/90

OPTOMETRY

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	93	1947
1978 - 79	95	1901
1979 - 80	118	1965
1980 - 81	121	2004
1981 - 82	137	2168
1982 - 83	158	2147
1983 - 84	130	2185
1984 - 85	145	2188
1985 - 86	115	2323
1986 - 87	105	2319

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 07/01/87 - 06/30/90

PHARMACY

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	756	18102
1978 - 79	887	15905
1979 - 80	839	17018
1980 - 81	587	15840
1981 - 82	862	16948
1982 - 83	667	15469
1983 - 84	635	16372
1984 - 85	516	16963
1985 - 86	860	16667
1986 - 87	661	16907

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 01/01/86 - 12/31/88

PHYSICAL THERAPY

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	429	3741
1978 - 79	416	4131
1979 - 80	479	3996
1980 - 81	455	3943
1981 - 82	400	4456
1982 - 83	441	4250
1983 - 84	389	4754
1984 - 85	458	5714
1985 - 86	443	6110
1986 - 87	398	5517

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 01/01/86 - 12/31/88

PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT

<u>STATE FISCAL YEAR</u>	<u>TOTAL CERTIFIED</u>	<u>TOTAL REGISTERED*</u>
1977 - 78	-	-
1978 - 79	-	-
1979 - 80	-	-
1980 - 81*	-	-
1981 - 82	302	18
1982 - 83	445	606
1983 - 84	139	623
1984 - 85	101	790
1985 - 86	96	887
1986 - 87	144	919

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 01/01/86 - 12/31/88

*New profession, effective 4/1/81.

PODIATRY

<u>STATE FISCAL YEAR</u>	<u>TOTAL LICENSED</u>	<u>TOTAL REGISTERED*</u>
1977 - 78	96	1350
1978 - 79	94	1477
1979 - 80	132	1421
1980 - 81	154	1578
1981 - 82	172	1603
1982 - 83	144	1760
1983 - 84	160	1743
1984 - 85	194	1948
1985 - 86	168	1941
1986 - 87	150	2107

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 09/01/85 - 08/31/88

PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING

<u>STATE FISCAL YEAR</u>	<u>TOTAL LICENSED</u>	<u>TOTAL REGISTERED*</u>
1977 - 78	713	24854
1978 - 79	1020	22460
1979 - 80	1197	24062
1980 - 81	580	22422
1981 - 82	1028	23950
1982 - 83	845	24497
1983 - 84	909	22574
1984 - 85	811	23628
1985 - 86	640	22730
1986 - 87	970	23033

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 11/01/85 - 10/31/88

PSYCHOLOGY

<u>STATE FISCAL YEAR</u>	<u>TOTAL LICENSED</u>	<u>TOTAL REGISTERED*</u>
1977 - 78	327	4436
1978 - 79	331	4879
1979 - 80	350	4848
1980 - 81	328	5102
1981 - 82	340	5350
1982 - 83	329	5707
1983 - 84	387	5774
1984 - 85	448	6132
1985 - 86	344	6328
1986 - 87	394	6758

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 05/01/85 - 04/30/88

PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	25	4808
1978 - 79	5	4106
1979 - 80	11	4132
1980 - 81	6	3693
1981 - 82	20	3720
1982 - 83	28	3724
1983 - 84	7	3291
1984 - 85	2	2692
1985 - 86	2	2710
1986 - 87	1	2707

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 09/01/87 - 08/31/90

REGISTERED PHYSICIAN'S ASSISTANT

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL NEW REGISTRATIONS	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	234	687
1978 - 79	259	946
1979 - 80	251	1084
1980 - 81	245	1348
1981 - 82	252	1466
1982 - 83	274	1748
1983 - 84	247	1895
1984 - 85	263	2061
1985 - 86	269	2354
1986 - 87	267	2496

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 01/01/87 - 12/31/89

REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL NURSE

<u>STATE FISCAL YEAR</u>	<u>TOTAL LICENSED</u>	<u>TOTAL REGISTERED*</u>
1977 - 78	10848	174668
1978 - 79	10453	188050
1979 - 80	10629	186429
1980 - 81	10209	195359
1981 - 82	10137	198411
1982 - 83	10601	207159
1983 - 84	9158	201246
1984 - 85	10609	217631
1985 - 86	9836	231083
1986 - 87	12575	212245

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 09/01/86 -08/31/89

REGISTERED SPECIALIST'S ASSISTANT

<u>STATE FISCAL YEAR</u>	<u>TOTAL NEW REGISTRATIONS</u>	<u>TOTAL REGISTERED*</u>
1977 - 78	0	5
1978 - 79	2	9
1979 - 80	2	10
1980 - 81	0	10
1981 - 82	15	10
1982 - 83	2	11
1983 - 84	5	17
1984 - 85	32	17
1985 - 86	5	22
1986 - 87	2	23

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 01/01/87 - 12/31/89

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	1213	1358
1978 - 79	541	1991
1979 - 80	429	2246
1980 - 81	505	2706
1981 - 82	338	2743
1982 - 83	412	3234
1983 - 84	312	3408
1984 - 85	313	3657
1985 - 86	365	4081
1986 - 87	385	4274

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 04/01/87 - 03/31/90

VETERINARY MEDICINE

STATE FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL LICENSED	TOTAL REGISTERED*
1977 - 78	142	1575
1978 - 79	140	1791
1979 - 80	147	1710
1980 - 81	173	1916
1981 - 82	194	1938
1982 - 83	171	2156
1983 - 84	208	2149
1984 - 85	204	2467
1985 - 86	181	2805
1986 - 87	211	2449

*CURRENT REGISTRATION PERIOD: 01/01/87 - 12/31/89

SUMMARY
(All Professions)

<u>STATE FISCAL YEAR</u>	<u>TOTAL LICENSED</u>	<u>TOTAL REGISTERED</u>
1977 - 78	33784	439103
1978 - 79	29664	442158
1979 - 80	30662	453438
1980 - 81	30921	461272
1981 - 82	31771	484049
1982 - 83	33537	500584
1983 - 84	32105	503178
1984 - 85	32712	523198
1985 - 86	31344	553823
1986 - 87	35141	541807

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